

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1077

By Bittle

A RESOLUTION to commend John P. Prince for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, John P. Prince is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role as a legislative intern for Representative H.E. Bittle and Representative Jamie Hagood; Mr. Prince's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Tennessee, where he is highly regarded by his peers, he has achieved academic success while majoring in Agricultural Economics and participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including ARTA and the UT-NAMA Ag-Business Club; and

WHEREAS, a proficient and dedicated scholar, John P. Prince has received numerous academic awards and scholarships, including the Jack and Mary Stanfield Scholarship, the Howard and Ruby Wilson Scholarship and the Carl M. Bennett Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, he is the son of loving parents, Wayne and Jewell Prince of Centerville, Tennessee and the brother of Jane Herron and Tabby Prince; his father serves with distinction as the City Administrator of Centerville, and his mother is an outstanding community leader; and

WHEREAS, a young man of impeccable character, John P. Prince is an active member of the Centerville Church of Christ, where he participates in numerous public service activities; and

WHEREAS, a four-year letterman in football at Hickman County High School, John was selected as the team's Most Valuable Offensive Lineman in 1997 and 1998 and earned All-Region 3-A honors in 1998; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexity of Tennessee state government and to further his studies, John P. Prince brought his many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2002 session of the One Hundred Second General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2002 legislative session, he has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, John P. Prince has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend John P. Prince for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative H. E. Bittle and Representative Jamie Hagood and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.